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# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

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TO: Mail Stop Patent Application, Commissioner for Patents, P O Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents

1. ☐ \*Fee transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17) (Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☒ Applicant claims small entity status.
3. ☒ Specification of 39 pages  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
  - Descriptive title of the invention
  - Cross References to Related Applications
  - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
  - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
  - Background of the Invention
  - Brief Summary of the Invention
  - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
  - Detailed Description
  - Claim(s)
  - Abstract of the Disclosure
4. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) Total sheets: 9
5. ☒ Oath or Declaration and Power of Attorney Total pages: 2
  - a. ☒ Newly executed (original or copy) - UNSIGNED
  - b. ☒ Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. §1.63(d))  
(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)
    - i. ☐ Deletion of inventor(s)  
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application,  
see 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b)
6. ☒ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76
7. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)
8. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)
  - a. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)
  - b. ☐ Specification Sequence Listing on:
    - i. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or ii. ☐ paper
  - c. ☐ Statements verifying identity of above copies

## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee) ☐ Power of Attorney
11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)

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12. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS citations  
13. ☐ Preliminary Amendment  
14. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (*Should be specifically itemized*)  
15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (*if foreign priority is claimed*)  
16. ☒ Request under 35 USC 122(b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent  
17. ☐ Other:

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18. ☒ If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:

☒ continuation ☐ divisional ☐ continuation-in-part (CIP)  
of prior application No.: 09/973,233

Prior application information: Examiner: West, Lewis G.

Group/Art Unit: 2682

FOR CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.

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